

--- 50 Cigars - "Series of 1922" - 143 x 23 mm design - scanned at 100% scale - 1922-24 ---

The catalogue lists this recess printed fifty cigar "Series of 1922" black strip as follows:

RG-584 - 50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on horizontal mesh wove - 4½ mm violet controls

RG-585 - 50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on horizontal mesh wove - 4½ mm blue controls

RG-586† - 50 cigars, black, *fine roulette*, on horizontal mesh wove - 4½ mm blue controls - **WANTED** if extant!

--- RG-584 - recess printed on medium wove - *coarse roulette* - with 4½ mm violet control numbers ---



★ **RG-584** - 50 cigars, control **3946988**, *coarse roulette*, on medium wove paper with an indistinct mesh, roller cancelled **10 - 13 - 1** by "Van Loo Cigars", Vancouver, B.C. - the design measures 143 x 23 mm.

1497002★		RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, uncanceled
6424019	02/23	RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, a box of Bachelor Aristocrat cigars by "Andrew Wilson" Toronto - 26-50-E - box stamped 2 3 23 2
0710258★	08/23	RG-584 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Peg Top Obscuro by "L. O. Grothe", Montreal - 2-10-D - bottom stamped 13 8 23
1899872★	01/24	RG-584 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a fine wooden box of Invincibles by "Benson & Hedges", Montreal - 34-10-D - bottom stamped 19 1 24 1
5052955		RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by "L.O. Grothe", Montreal - 2-10-D
2257017★	08/24	RG-584 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Preferred Panetelas by "Tucketts", Montreal - 5-10-D - bottom stamped 20 H 24
2412162		RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by "W.R. Webster", Sherbrooke - 2-16-D
2480996		RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of National cigars by "M. J. Helm", Stratford, Ontario - 2-45-E
3101629		RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by "H. Simon & Sons", Montreal - 38-10-D

--- RG-585 - recess printed on medium wove - *coarse roulette* - with 4½ mm blue control numbering ---



★RG-585 - 50 Cigars, black, *coarse roulette*, on medium wove with an indistinct mesh, control number **5810462**, roller cancelled **11 - 50 - E** by “General Cigars”, Toronto - the design measures 145 x 23 mm.



★RG-585 SP - 50 cigars, black, *coarse roulette*, on vertical mesh wove, control number **9872006**, stamped *Sample* in the cancellation panel - the design measures 145 x 23 mm.

3290334	RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette
3607625	RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette
3917473	RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “General Cigars”, Farnham, P.Q. - 3-20-D
3946988 ★	RG-584	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “Van Loo Cigars”, Vancouver - 10-13-I
4306252	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “General Cigars”, Montreal - 6-10-D
4372271	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “Andrew Wilson”, Toronto - 26-50-E
4663706	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “General Cigars, Toronto - 11-50-E
4776668 ★	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a dirty wooden box of Marguerite by “Tuckett Tobacco”, Montreal - 5-10-D
xxxxxxx ★	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on an <u>angular</u> wooden box of Tucketts Marguerite by “General Cigars”, Toronto - 11-50-E - bottom QZ
5052955	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, rolled 2-10-D
5085562	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “H. Simon & Sons”, Montreal - 38-10-D
5164828	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “H. Simon & Sons”, Montreal - 38-10-D
5376358	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “Tuckett Tobacco”, Montreal - 5-10-D
5418485	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “Tuckett Tobacco”, Montreal - 11-50-E
5393941	09/25 RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Tucketts Straights Claro by “Tuckett Tobacco”, Montreal - 5-10-D - bottom 9025
5626374	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “L. O. Grothe”, Montreal - 2-10-D
5810472 ★	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “General Cigars, Toronto - 11-50-E
5961839	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “General Cigars, Montreal - 6-10-D
5985681	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by “L.O. Grothe”, Montreal - 2-10-D
6351440 ★	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Invincibles by “Benson & Hedges”, Montreal - 34-10-D
6356085	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a box of The Jap - Flor Fina by “James A. McNee”, London, Ontario - 7-24-E
6367511 ★	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Havana Ribbon by “Manness Cigars”, London, Ontario - stamp rolled 32-24-E
7001513 ★	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of 7 inch Havanas by “H. E. Cooke”, Owen Sound - 4-33-E
7472066	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, ex Brandom catalogue
7688214	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7688528	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7688971	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7688974	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7690441	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I

7690720		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7691362		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7693232		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7693270		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7693973		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7698682		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
7704944		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
8000033		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Peg Top by "L. O. Grothe", Montreal, P.Q. - 2-10-D
8156763		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, used but uncanceled
8895635	07/28	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Bachelor Aristocrat by "Andrew Wilson & Co.", Toronto - 26-50-E - stamped 7-12-28
8965961		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by 10-18-I
9161983 ★	08/28	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Stonewall Jackson by "General Cigars", Montreal - 6-10-D - stamped 8 - 28
9466087 ★	02/29	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Humber Favorites by "Andrew Wilson & Co.", Toronto - 26-50-E - stamped 1 / 2-28-29
9616052	02/29	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by "Tuckett Tobacco", Montreal - 5-10-D
9872006 ★		RG-585 SP	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, stamped Sample in the cancellation panel

--- a new control number sequence has begun ---

0130548 ★	02/28	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Boite Nature Panetelas by "Benson & Hedges", Montreal, stamped 34-17 and 2-27-23 - 8
0633303		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, unreadable circular black roller cancellation
1156816		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of The Jap - Flor Fina by "James A. McNee", London, Ontario - 7-24-E
1297618		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Stonewall Jackson by "General Cigars", Montreal
1525314	06/29	RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Bachelor Aristocrat by "Andrew Wilson & Co." - 26-50-E - bottom inscribed 6 / 29
1899872 ★		RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of B. & H. Invincibles by "Benson & Hedges", Montreal - 34-10-D
2630824 ★	??/31	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Cellophane Wrapped by "Tuckett Tobacco", Montreal - 5-10-D - bottom stamped 31
2877875		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, with an unreadable roller cancellation
2948287		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, unreadable roller cancellation
3319970		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, unreadable roller cancellation
3306505 ★		RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Duke of Ormond - Invincibles by "General Cigars", Montreal - 6-10-D
3463606 ○		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, rolled 8-10-D
4121337		RG-585	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, by "Simon Cigars", Montreal - 38-10-D
4911454		RG-586?	50 cigars, black, <u>fine roulette?</u> on a wooden box of White Owl Claro 5¢ cigars by "General Cigars", Toronto - 11-50-E , inscribed 2AZ
4942671 ★	06/33	RG-585 **	50 cigars, black, coarse roulette, on a wooden box of Key West - Havana by "Bella Schure" - 6-45E - ex "Peter Heinbecker", Listowel, 6-33

The "General Cigars", Toronto, cigar date cancellations under the 1932 Budget differ from the usual "Imperial Tobacco" cancels of the time. With the few examples collected to date, the year seems to read as: W=1932; X=1933; Y=1934 and Z=1935. The months probably read consecutively from O=1 to Z=12.

Note: The cigar cancellations of "Andrew Wilson" read as (month) (date) (year), while those of "General Cigars" read as (date) (month) (year).

--- the fifty Cigar Roll and Plates - information from Chris Ryan ---

In a memorandum to *D. Sims, Esq.* (Deputy Minister of National Revenue, Customs and Excise) dated June 14th 1944, *L. A. White* and *C.R. Coombs* record the destruction of the CBN cigar roll No. 176-XG, for the "Series of 1922", fifty cigar, 145 x 23 mm. strip.

In a similar memorandum, dated June 8th 1944, they record the destruction of the ABN / CBN plates No. 3 and 4 for the fifty cigar, "Series of 1922", 145 x 23 mm. strip. The sixty impression plates were probably arranged - 2 by (3 x 10) strips - JBH.

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